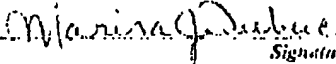


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This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated July 11, 2005. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: